

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application: Manuel Campos, et al.

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For: FUSION PROTEINS COMPRISING CARRIERS THAT CAN INDUCE A DUAL IMMUNE RESPONSE

Attorney Docket No.: 3153.00205

AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 1.116

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted in response to a Final Office Action dated July 2, 2002, Paper No. 13. Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action for one-month, whereby the due date for responding to the outstanding Office Action is extended to November 2, 2002. Please charge the fee to Deposit Account Number 11-1449 in payment thereor. Please enter the present Amendment to place the application in condition for allowance, or at least in better condition for appeal.

Please amend the application as indicated below, consistent with the instructions found attached hereto:

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